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CC: Frey, Rebecca [frey.rebecca@epa.gov]; Linda Gaines (Gaines.Linda@epa.gov) [Gaines.Linda@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Wolverine: NPL site connection

Thanks Michael. If the state is planning a PFAS sampling event at State Disposal LF, it is appropriate to conduct a consultation with HQ before sampling is initiated.

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Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy

From: Berkoff, Michael
Sent: Thursday, January 11, 2018 1:45 PM
To: Yi, Ji-Sun <Yi.Ji-Sun@epa.gov>
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Subject: RE: Wolverine: NPL site connection

Hi Sun,
 It is a state-lead site. A consult may be helpful. PFAS has already been detected in the groundwater at and outside the landfill. The state is planning an upcoming sampling event, and EPA will be supporting their efforts.
 Thank you,
 Michael

From: Yi, Ji-Sun
Sent: Thursday, January 11, 2018 1:29 PM
To: Berkoff, Michael <berkoff.michael@epa.gov>
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Subject: FW: Wolverine: NPL site connection

Hi Michael,

I wanted to check in with you about State Disposal Landfill. Please see Linda Gaines' note below. Is it a state-lead site? Does it warrant a PFOA/PFAS consult?

Thanks,
 Sun

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**Sent:** Thursday, January 11, 2018 11:44 AM

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First, news article about actions taken yesterday about Wolverine.

[http://www.mlive.com/news/grand-rapids/index.ssf/2018/01/wolverine\\_deq\\_pfas\\_lawsuit.html](http://www.mlive.com/news/grand-rapids/index.ssf/2018/01/wolverine_deq_pfas_lawsuit.html)

Buried within that article was a link to an old article that I don't think I had seen before. Short version, there is an NPL (Final, I checked) that appears to have accepted waste from Wolverine. Article says MIDEQ is investigating it for potential PFAS source. I haven't heard about the site (State Disposal Landfill). Is it state-led? Has R5 said anything about this site?

[http://www.mlive.com/news/index.ssf/2017/09/wolverine\\_beltline\\_landfill\\_pf.html](http://www.mlive.com/news/index.ssf/2017/09/wolverine_beltline_landfill_pf.html)

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